



JOSH ZEPNICK

STATE REPRESENTATIVE 9th ASSEMBLY DISTRICT

Making Government Work for You.

As your Wisconsin State Representative, one of my most important priorities is to put myself in the shoes of the thousands of families and individuals on Milwaukee's South Side and focus on basic, common sense solutions for state and local government.

Paid Family leave for a sick loved one, raising the minimum wage, full funding for public schools and health care programs, and investing in our future through public infrastructure and workforce development are all examples of what I hear day in and day out when talking with constituents.

Lately, Milwaukee has been hit hard through Republican state budgets. Cuts to the shared revenue program which is funded by OUR sales tax dollars generated in Milwaukee County, the property tax costs linked to the expanded voucher program for private schools, transportation projects being sidetracked, and eliminating the residency requirement for City employees like police officers are all examples of Republican policies from the last four years that hurt our economy. **The strength of our community depends on the City of Milwaukee getting its fair share of dollars returned to where they came from ... the hard working men and women of Milwaukee's South Side.**

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Representative Zepnick with Alderman Witkowski and Mayor Barrett at the grand opening of the reconstructed 27th street, the first rebuilding of this major commercial and residential corridor in over 40 years. Representative Zepnick worked with city officials to gain state highway funding for this important project.

I WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!!

Always feel free to contact me if you have any concerns, questions, or comments about a state agency or legislative issue. My door is always open and I look forward to hearing from you!



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Representative Zepnick honors the Urban Ecology Center in the Menominee Valley, which is next to the Hank Aaron Trail expansion—a project Representative Zepnick secured state and federal funding to complete.



Representative Zepnick and Mayor Barrett at Arlington Heights Park in the 9th Assembly District, part of the Silver City district where Representative Zepnick lives. Arlington Heights Park is part of the Milwaukee Plays initiative led by Common Council President Michael Murphy.



Representative Zepnick receives an award from UMOS for his service on the UMOS Block Grant Advisory Committee, which recognizes his dedication improving the quality of life for his constituents.

A Proven Track Record Serving Milwaukee's South Side

- ✓ Mandatory, paid family sick leave for all workers
- ✓ Increasing the Earned Income Tax Credit for working adults with no kids
- ✓ Raising the minimum wage to \$10.10/hour
- ✓ Promoting energy efficient programs for residential and commercial properties in Milwaukee. This saves real money, conserves our natural resources, and increases the value of your home or business. (Milwaukee.gov/me2)
- ✓ Zepnick co-authored the bi-partisan legislation which helped expand the Milwaukee Police Department "ShotSpotter" initiative. After Governor Walker rejected Milwaukee's request for these funds, a group of Democrats and Republicans reversed that action with \$175,000 (after Walker cut \$445,400 from community policing grant for Milwaukee over 2 years). Shot Spotter uses cutting-edge wireless technology to identify the location of gunshots. Using a sophisticated communications system, Milwaukee Police can find the gun within minutes and potentially interrupt or avoid a fatal shooting. This system also helps law enforcement track the location of repeat offenders, often a red flag for illegal guns, drug dealing or other illegal activity.

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